

Early Phoenician Script (13th Century B.C.E. – 3rd Century C.E.) 13

Script	Hebrew		Estrangela		East-Syriac		Value		
𐤀	א	אָלף	𐤀	𐤀	ܐ	ܐ	1	1	1
𐤁	ב	בֵּית	𐤁	ܬܒܬܐ	ܬܒܬܐ	ܬܒܬܐ	2	2	2
𐤂	ג	גִּמְלָל	𐤂	ܬܓܬܐ	ܬܓܬܐ	ܬܓܬܐ	3	3	3
𐤃	ד	דָּלֶת	𐤃	ܬܕܬܐ	ܬܕܬܐ	ܬܕܬܐ	4	4	4
𐤄	ה	הָא	𐤄	ܬܗܬܐ	ܬܗܬܐ	ܬܗܬܐ	5	5	5
𐤅	ו	וָו	𐤅	ܬܘܬܐ	ܬܘܬܐ	ܬܘܬܐ	6	6	6
𐤆	ז	זָיִן	𐤆	ܬܙܬܐ	ܬܙܬܐ	ܬܙܬܐ	7	7	7
𐤇	ח	חֵית	𐤇	ܬܝܬܐ	ܬܝܬܐ	ܬܝܬܐ	8	8	8
𐤈	ט	טִית	𐤈	ܬܦܬܐ	ܬܦܬܐ	ܬܦܬܐ	9	9	9
𐤉	י	יּוֹד	𐤉	ܬܝܬܐ	ܬܝܬܐ	ܬܝܬܐ	10	10	10
𐤊	כ	כָּף	𐤊	ܬܚܬܐ	ܬܚܬܐ	ܬܚܬܐ	20	20	11
𐤋	ל	לָמֶד	𐤋	ܬܠܬܐ	ܬܠܬܐ	ܬܠܬܐ	30	30	12
𐤌	מ	מֶם	𐤌	ܬܡܬܐ	ܬܡܬܐ	ܬܡܬܐ	40	40	13
𐤍	נ	נּוֹן	𐤍	ܬܢܬܐ	ܬܢܬܐ	ܬܢܬܐ	50	50	14
𐤎	ס	סָמָךְ	𐤎	ܬܫܬܐ	ܬܫܬܐ	ܬܫܬܐ	60	60	15
𐤏	ע	עֵיִן	𐤏	ܬܥܬܐ	ܬܥܬܐ	ܬܥܬܐ	70	70	16
𐤐	פ	פָּא	𐤐	ܬܦܬܐ	ܬܦܬܐ	ܬܦܬܐ	80	80	17
𐤑	צ	צָדִי	𐤑	ܬܨܬܐ	ܬܨܬܐ	ܬܨܬܐ	90	90	18
𐤒	ק	קוֹף	𐤒	ܬܩܬܐ	ܬܩܬܐ	ܬܩܬܐ	100	100	19
𐤓	ר	רִישׁ	𐤓	ܬܪܬܐ	ܬܪܬܐ	ܬܪܬܐ	200	200	20
𐤔	ש	שִׁין	𐤔	ܬܫܬܐ	ܬܫܬܐ	ܬܫܬܐ	300	300	21
𐤕	ת	תּוֹ	𐤕	ܬܬܬܐ	ܬܬܬܐ	ܬܬܬܐ	400	400	22

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### **Dedication**

I dedicate this work in memory of **His Holiness ✝ Mar Dinkha IV**, Catholicos-Patriarch of ***The Assyrian Church of the East***, Sunday, September 15, 1935 – Thursday, March 26, 2015, with love, respect, and appreciation.